FISCAL NOTE

HB 3069

February 17, 1998

SUMMARY OF BILL: Provides that in a county that has a contractual agreement with the Department of Environment and Conservation for the inspection of subsurface sewage disposal (SSD) systems, the county may authorize experimental or alternative SSDs to replace failing or failed systems in existing structures if no public sewer system is available in the area. The provisions of the bill would not apply to any structures not already in existence on the effective date of the bill.

ESTIMATED FISCAL IMPACT:

Decrease State Revenues - Not Significant

Increase Local Govt. Revenues - Not Significant / Permissive Increase Local Govt. Expenditures - Not Significant / Permissive

Assumes that the counties instead of the state would collect revenues from permit fees. Such fees are not estimated to be significant.

Also assumes that the counties that authorize such systems would have to develop monitoring programs to the extent that such monitoring programs do not currently exist. Expenditures for such program are not estimated to be significant.

CERTIFICATION:

This is to duly certify that the information contained herein is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

James A. Davenport, Executive Director

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